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TUCSON ENTHUSES OVER BALL CLUB; MONEY IS BEING RAISED RAPIDLY

Tucson Team Is to Be Working on Its Own Diamond by Tuesday; in El Paso, Park Is Being Prepared; In-field Is Being Worked on, Fences Are Being Erected and Clubhouse Is to Be Built.

REPORTS from all the cities of the Rio Grande Baseball association's circuit this morning are very encouraging. Locally, the work on the infield at Coles park is under way, the fences are going up and a contract has been let for an artistic clubhouse in center-field. The contracts for the bleachers and stands are hanging fire a bit, but they will be under way by Monday or Tuesday.

John McCloskey went out to Las Cruces on Friday afternoon for a conference with the local baseball association's circuit this morning. McCloskey received a wire from Jim Brown, that brought a smile to his face. Brown has been having a tough time getting Tucson organized, but the telegram was to the effect that two business men had subscribed for \$1000 of stock each and that another \$500 had been quickly placed; that he (Brown) had wired fifty Brazilians to hurry along with the players and that the Tucson team would be working on its home diamond Tuesday afternoon.

Phoenix has been ready for some time. This afternoon a number of baseballs is being played there between local teams and the receipts are to go toward the treasury of the new league club. The business men are also making an effort to sell 4000 booster tickets for the opening game and are quite determined to beat El Paso in the matter of attendance.

McCloskey also had word from Silver City that things were going nicely there and asked that Mack Hurley to call on the players for that club to their home park. McCloskey at once wired the men who have been lined up at Oakland for Silver City to go there and transportation has been sent them. Bill Quigley will have charge of the squad for a time at least.

George Reed continues to make little noise in the north and he had his stock company organized before any of the others were ready and the manager is now getting busy with the players for the Albuquerque team. In fact, reports reaching here are to the effect that Reed already has some men working out.

Transportation for the El Paso players has been arranged and they should start arriving here by Monday or Tuesday. Sam Best and Kallio, two of Hurley's pitchers, are due in Las Cruces today from Waco, where they have been lumbering up while Bert Daniels is due from the coast on Sunday. Best and Kallio were with Hurley in San Antonio last season and would have been sold to Waco of the Texas league had not Hurley set a high price on each of them. They should come near topping the pitchers of this league, though the other managers are also lining up some classy pitching material.

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OUMET IS BEATEN IN GOLF PLAY

Pinehurst, N. C., April 10.—Francis Oumet, national golf champion, already has tasted defeat this season.



Quigley has been saying little about the squad he will take to Silver City, but writes that he "has eleven men who have the real goods." Quigley is a good judge of players and it is known that he has been getting after the surplus material of the coast league, so the Silver City team will be watching.

The committee in charge of the sale of tickets in El Paso for the opening game on April 27 will start a systematic canvass of the city next week. Already they have disposed of a large number of pastebords, but an effort is being made to sell 2500 and it is known that he has been getting after the surplus material of the coast league, so the Silver City team will be watching.

BOWLING

The annual banquet of the Wigan bowlers, held Friday night at the El Paso Hotel, was a great success. There being about 250 present. Charles Armstrong, president of the club, presided. In an address, he congratulated the bowlers on the fine marks they hung up in the season just closed. He then presented the prizes which had been won during the season.

In the Swift & Co. League match on the Cactus club alley Friday night, Gilmore's team won three of four points from the Hotel team. The scores being:

Gilmore Team	Swift & Co. Team
Gilmore	170 167 125 471
Day	180 182 188 211
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Totals	440 488 353 1214

Meisel Team—
Meisel 128 111 142 381
Fassett 122 127 128 377
Decker 122 117 164 393

Totals—
339 367 412 1118
Points won Gilmore 3; high total Gilmore 471.

ASSOCIATION EMPIRE IS VISITING IN CITY
J. A. Murray, umpire in the American association and formerly in the old Eastern (now the International) league, is a visitor in El Paso and is registered at the El Paso Hotel. Murray dropped off here to see some old friends and to wait for Jack Doyle, who has been farming up the valley. To join him to go to Chicago. Doyle will also have an indicator in the American association this year. Murray makes his headquarters in Los Angeles in the winter now and has been umpiring a large number of the White Sox exhibition games on the coast.

OLDFIELD AND THOMPSON LEAVE HERE TONIGHT
Barney Oldfield, Delloyd Thompson and their party are scheduled to leave El Paso at 10 o'clock tonight for San Antonio. They had planned to remain over Sunday, but would have to change getting into San Antonio in time for their engagement in that city should they do so.

Before leaving for his Saturday afternoon exhibition at the local park, Delloyd Thompson declared that he felt in good condition and had been thoroughly rested after his arduous drive from Los Angeles.

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In Boyland:

ABOUT 100 boys, all of whom had competed in the grammar school soccer league during the season which closed recently, attended the first annual "celebration" of the league at the C. A. A. gymnasium on Friday night. The boys were all out for a good time, and it was in any indication of exuberance of spirit that they indulged themselves. The evening was spent in a purely informal manner. Between courses of the luncheon which was served, W. H. Pearson, athletic director of the grammar schools; superintendent J. J. Tighe; H. D. Slater, editor of The Herald; and several of the boys made short addresses. Mr. Slater also presented the pennants won by the senior and junior San Jacinto teams in the championship series. Coy Friend accepted the pennant for the senior team and Sam Bloomberg for the juniors.

Mr. Tighe congratulated the boys on the successful year's work in soccer and expressed the feeling that even had nothing more than soccer league been accomplished, it would have been a big year for school athletics. He hoped to see the league extended again next fall and predicted that the championship race would be a keen one. Mr. Tighe hoped to see only one soccer but more clean sports of all kinds in the schools in future.

Mr. Pearson made an attempt to get some of the team captains to speak. Irving Stephan was found behind the door and consented to make a few remarks. He congratulated San Jacinto on winning the pennants and for the clean games they had played, but pointed out that they could not expect to win the titles another season.

Coy Friend, captain of the San Jacinto seniors, had great pleasure from the successful season and said that the interest of the boys in soccer was all for sport alone and not for a single object of winning something. He did not doubt that every single boy in the city would enjoy the games as much as the winners from San Jacinto school and had obtained as much good from the exercise.

While it is the hits that count, every boy should participate and endeavor to score the hits. Mr. Slater told the story of an English army recruit who was having his first rifle practice. He was hanging away at a great rate and making a lot of noise, but the target was not being damaged at all. Finally, an officer went up to him and wanted to know what was the matter with his shots. "I don't know, sir," he replied, "I'm leaving here all right."

BOYS WHO GO INTO GAMES AND sports should be prepared to take their knocks as well as the good things, declared Mr. Slater. Lots of us don't start soon enough, though we do run fast enough when we get started. If every growing young man would take part in clean sports like baseball, soccer, etc., we would have better and healthier citizens. Mr. Slater had much pleasure in presenting the pennants to the captains of the two winning teams.

An effort was made to get some of the teachers to make a few remarks, but all pleaded that they were not there to hear the teachers, for they had them five days a week. Miss Smith, of Alta Vista, volunteered, however, to help get the boys started, for home when the proper time came, by climbing on a chair to give a speech on good citizenship. Some of the other teachers informed her that such desperate measures would not be required.

San Jacinto school baseball team won an exciting game from St. Mary's school Friday by a score of 7 to 4 at the foundry grounds. The winning team used the following players: C. Ralph, C. Coy Friend, P. E. Harold, B. C. Connelley, Jr., Ray York, B. Arthur Fuller, W. Bryan Gilbert, H. Ignatius, C. Clarence, etc.

The average age of the San Jacinto players is 14 years and seven months. They want games with any team of equal age. Coy Friend is the captain and Arthur Fuller is manager. They will play any day after school.

Joe Davis is the manager of the Lucky Stars. His phone number is 1702 and his address is 1221 Myrtle avenue. Bob Stewart is captain. The following players have been signed, their positions and ages following the names: Ray Terrazas, p. 17; Morris, c. 17; Bob Stewart, 1b. 12; Sales Wyles, 2b. 15; Phelan Manville, 3b. 11; Hector Weeks, ss. 16; Joe Francis, 1b. Ray Duke, cf. 16; Cotton Gaskill, rf. 11. They are looking for games with teams of their own age.

POLO GAME IS HALTED
BECAUSE OF ACCIDENTS
San Francisco, Cal., April 10.—A succession of mishaps made it necessary to call the game off in the fourth chukker of Friday's contest at Burlingame between the teams of San Mateo and the Philadelphia Country club in the first round for the San Francisco polo cups in the Panama-Pacific exposition tournament.

In the second period, Walter Hobart, of the San Mateo four, was hit on the shin with a mallet. He was carried from the field and taken to his home, where it was said that there might be a fracture of the bone. In the fourth period, Thomas A. Driscoll, also of the San Mateo team, was hit on the cheek by a driven ball. The blow laid bare his cheek bone. A physician was summoned and the wound was sewed up on the ground.

It was then decided to call the game off as "no contest," and it will be replayed later.

The scores then stood 3 goals to 2 in favor of San Mateo.

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WOMEN DEMAND RIGHT TO COMPETE IN MARATHON
Boston, Mass., April 10.—Two women have asked permission to compete in the Boston A. A. Marathon race April 19. They say if they are not allowed to run, they will run anyway. Manager George V. Brown received a postcard signed by "I. H. K." and "T. T." on which was written the following: "Want to know if young ladies will be allowed to run in the Marathon race. If not, we won't. You won't have the same rights as men. If ladies are permitted to run, please get aside a dressing room for them. We are going to run anyway."

As the A. A. U., which governs the B. A. A. race, does not allow women to compete in athletics under its rule, it is likely that the letter will not be given any consideration.

PHOENIX HIGH SCHOOL TEAM DEFEATS GLOBE
Tucson, April 10.—Phoenix high school baseball team defeated the team of Globe high school in the inter-scholastic series being held here in connection with University week, by a score of 8 to 2.

Douglas high school forfeited its game to Wilcox, failing to play.

Finals in track meet events and the competitive military drill were to be held today.

STATE COLLEGE TRACK TEAM IS TRAINING

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and hurdles, all of which he placed in last season. Shaler Ladd and Harvey Coe are showing good form on the high jump, broad jump and dashes. Lowell Locke, the speedy miler, and Earl Taylor, state record holder for the half mile, are both at their old pace, showing record time for early season running. Richard Brown is showing up well on the hurdles and dashes.

The quarter mile dash tracks have been improved and put into the best of shape. The track this season, as in past years, will be the fastest in the southwest, and one on which the athletes may expect to make their best time.

First Meet April 26.

The first meet of any importance will be held on April 16, between the men of the college and preparatory department of the college. This will be followed by the local field and track day, when the college team will be chosen.

Due to the fact that the federation meet has been done away with, the college place three dual meets with outside teams with the El Paso high school, the El Paso Y. M. C. A. and the University of New Mexico. The meet with the university will be held in Albuquerque during commencement week, May 22.

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